

## Mythbusters #9 "Sex is Dirty"

Bible passages: Genesis 2:23-25;  
1 Thessalonians 4:3-4; 1 Corinthians 6:18-20  
(pages: 2, 836, 809 in the church Bibles)



## SERMON NOTES

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Big Idea: Sex is a great gift from God that should be treated with honor.

### Connecting

Describe the last time you needed a user's manual.

How did you first hear about the birds and the bees?

### Understanding

Read Genesis 2:23-25. What do these verses reveal about God's design for sex?

How does this passage contradict the myth that sex is dirty?

Read 1 Thessalonians 4:3-4 and 1 Corinthians 6:18-20. Why should we avoid sexual immorality?

What is the significance of our body being a temple for the Holy Spirit? What might that have communicated to the original readers?

### Living

Do you feel awkward discussing sex? Why or why not?

Do you believe that sex is a gift from God? If so, how does this affect your sexual behavior?

What, if anything, prevents Christians from fully enjoying sex?

Is your church a safe place to admit to sexual sin or temptation? Is your life group? Explain.

What damage have you done to yourself or others by the misuse of sex? Have you been able to embrace God's grace?

Does intimacy require sex? How can you develop intimate relationships that honor God and others?

*We encourage you to use a notebook to record your thoughts and reflections on the Study Guide questions as you prepare for your Life Group each week.*

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